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From: Ted Meier [mailto:temameier@wvi.com] Sent: Thursday, April 08, 2010 5:49 PM

To: secretary

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Dear Sir:

Thank for the opportunity to comment on the issue of positions limits for preciouos metals. Please establish a specuative position limit in COMEX silver of no more than 1500 contracts. Please restrict any hedging exemptions from those limits to legitimate hedgers. Please stop the levels of concentration in COMEX silver futures that have been experienced over the past few years on the short side of the market.

Sincerely,

Ted & Mary Meier